

ACTIQ PA SUMMARY

LENGTH OF AUTHORIZATION: 1 Year

PA CRITERIA: Actiq is available for patients who are currently on a long-acting narcotic but are experiencing breakthrough Cancer pain and are unable to swallow or have uncontrollable nausea and vomiting. Patients with a functional enteral tube must use preferred agents.

EXCEPTIONS:

- ❖ Exceptions to these conditions of coverage are considered through the prior authorization process.
- ❖ The Prior Authorization process may be initiated by calling **Express Scripts at 1-877-650-9340**.

PA and APPEAL PROCESS:

- ❖ For online access to the PA process please click [here](#).

QUANTITY LEVEL LIMITATIONS:

- ❖ For online access to the current Quantity Level Limit please select Pharmacy Services from the manuals listed [at this link](#).